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J. R. RACE & CO.'S



Fifth Annual Free Distribution!

Every purchaser of \$5.00 worth of goods from our large and well selected retail stock, consisting of

CLOTHING,
HATS CAPS, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS
AND MERCHANT TAILORING,

W. I. be presented with a Ticket, entitling the holder to

One Share in Our Free Gift Distribution
Given Away March 1, 1884.

One \$8.00 Hamshier Iron Fellow	One \$15.00 Pants made to order
40.00 Suit made to order.	15.00 Boy's Suit.
10.00 Sewing Machine.	10.00 Caliculoid Toilet Set, in case from Henry Smith, druggist.
35.00 Set of Harness, from J. W. Tyler.	15.00 Saratoga Zinc Trunk.
25.00 In Gold.	15.00 Boys' Overcoat.
25.00 Man's Suit.	10.00 Morocco Valise.
20.00 Sets Thomas Eight Day Clocks, Almond, from O. C. Curtis & Co., Jewelers.	Hawthorn Check Rower.
25.00 Man's Overcoat.	Barrel Flour, from D. S. Shelburner & Co.
15.00 In Gold.	Watch Dog, from E. D. Bartholomew & Co.
20.00 Youth's Suit.	Barrel Flour, from D. S. Shelburner & Co.
10.00 In Gold.	No. 33 Champion Monitor Cook Stove, from Ferguson & Di Lehant, No. 13 Water St., (2,000 in use in Macon county.)
12.00 Large Size Velvet Up holstered Recker, from R. Johnson, Bond Block.	
20.00 Youth's Overcoat.	
11.00 Illinois Clothes Washer, manufactured by Boyd Bros. & Co.	

Just received the Finest Line of **WORSTED SUITS** in the city.

J. R. RACE & CO.

April 16, 1883.—D.W.

!! A NEW ENTERPRISE !!

Long experience has satisfied us of the necessity in Decatur for an exclusively PAINT AND ARTIST'S STORE, Stock being Selected and Handled by Practical Workmen.

We are respectfully announce to the TRADES, and PUBLIC GENERALLY, that we have a new and EXCLUSIVELY PAINT AND CARRIAGE PAINTERS,

Spoke, Paint, Tinting, Varnishes of all kinds, Japan Drives, Lithographs—Wood Brushes of all grades, sizes and quality. Colors: Dry—In Oil—Distemper—and Jars—In water, everything in their line. Also, in frames, oil on canvas, Pictures, Portraits, Landscapes, Figures, Flowers, Landscapes, Pictures, Pencils, Sketches, Crayons, French Pastel Crayons, assort'd of all colors and tints—Japan Drives, Brushes, Pencils, etc., Ladies and gentlemen who desire, please examine stocks, and will be supplied with what they want.

Words about OUTSIDE WORK, either off or country, to a companion born to the finest art, our country residents, and others, who have reported that we do a good work.

MYER & SON.

GEORGE P. BLUME

THE OLD RELIABLE DEALER IN

SEWING MACHINES AND SUPPLIES,

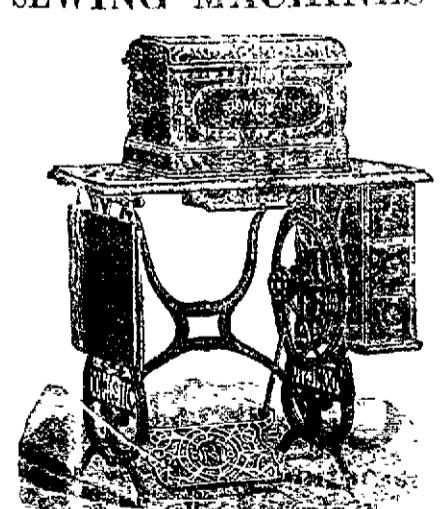
—THE—

DOMESTIC!

WHITE,

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OTHER MACHINES.



Administrator's Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, 1st Mac., 1883.

In the matter of the estate of Stephen P. T. Biddle, William H. Biddle, Jerome H. Biddle, William H. Biddle, Alfred G. Biddle, Napoleon P. Biddle, Newell J. Fisher, Elizabeth King, Lucy G. Glidde, and Mary R. Biddle, deceased, and to all to whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that I will appear

set the County Court of said county

on the 1st day of April, 1883, at the hour of

one o'clock P.M., and present a true report of

my acts and doings as administrator of the

estate, and administer thereof, and ask said

Court to make such discharge as such adminis-

trator, and no other place you may be pre-

pared to do.

ALFRED H. BIDDLE, Administrator,

Newell J. Fisher, Attorney,

April 1, 1883.

W. H. GRINDOL.

Dealer in all kinds of

AMERICAN AND ITALIAN MARBLE

Brought up by the very best of skilled work-

men, in the latest and best style, which will

be shown and prices before offering.

Shop in the old Masonic Temple, southwest

corner Park Decatur, Ill. Jan. 14th—day

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHAR. LAUX, Proprietor,

South side of the Old Square, Decatur

Jan. 1, 1883.—D.W.

For the purpose of disposing of
ONE HALF OUR LOTS
—ON—

Water, Durfee, Bradford
and Marietta Sts.,

And having them improved during the com-

ing season, we are making

Special Offer of Reduced Prices

and Easy Terms, good for

90 Days from this date.

WARREN & DURFEE.

March 9, 1883.—D.W.

Water Consumers.

You are requested to call at the City Clerk's office and settle your bills, as I wish to settle up all old business before retiring from office. GEO. P. HANCOCK, City Clerk, Decatur, Ill., April 13, 1883. D.W.

The Heroine of the Novelists of To-

day.

Atlantic Monthly.

May I be pardoned the impertinence, but I

lave of late some pains to ascertain the

age of the heroine—the heroine of the contem-

porary novel. Examining carefully, in several

instances, the date furnished by her spouses,

I have sorted out and tabulated certain general

facts. These facts show her age to be, never

under twenty; rarely two-and-twenty; usually

from twenty-one to twenty-seven; twenty-

eight, and even there-above, giving an average

of twenty-five years.

While pursuing these

numerical calculations, I am closely observing

the heroine's face.

There are no "telling lines"

upon the brow or about the eye, and her color

is still fair. It is to be noted, more-

over, that she retains a wonder-

ful measure of youthful vivacity and frankness,

far above the average. The only mark of age

is a slight dimple on her chin, and

gracefulness with which she uses it.

This is what we would have it;

but the singularity of the case appears

when we consider with the author's predeces-

sor, the beginning of the fashion.

The latter is always a joint one, who, when

the narrative of her fortunes is concluded,

has scarcely more than crossed the threshold,

and she retains a certain alluring

and sophisticated plaudite or

impertinence, or audaciousness—whatever her

temperament and behavior, she invariably

retains a certain vivacity and frankness,

far above the average.

It is to be noted, however, that the

heroine's face is not as young as

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TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 17, 1883.
D. K. HAMPTON, J. R. MORSE,
HAMPTON & MORSE, PROPRIETORS.
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois,
second class mail matter.

It now turns out that that wonderful Texas meteor existed only in the fertile imagination of a very "lively" reporter.

HON. EDWARD Y. RICE, for many years a circuit judge and once a member of Congress, died yesterday at his late residence, Hillsboro, Ill.

The harping upon the probabilities and possibilities of General Sherman becoming a Presidential candidate is very annoying to that gentleman, and only tends to embarrass him in the discharge of his official duties. But the worst gossips of society are the political gossip. Holding their breath from intrigue and scandal for twenty-four hours would be fatal to half of them.

The Bloomington city election came off yesterday, a very large vote being polled. John W. Trotter, Democrat, was elected Mayor by 163 majority. There were four tickets in the field—Democrat, Republican, Prohibitionist and Labor Reformers. Trotter is the present incumbent, and has been elected three successive terms.

New York city is preparing to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Evacuation Day, the 26th of November next. The state legislature has just made the day a holiday, and a great demonstration is looked for. It is in commemoration of the day on which the British left the city during the war of the revolution.

The Yankee and his wooden nutmegs are matters of tradition. This is matter of fact. The sanitary inspectors of Paris lately stumbled over an establishment where operators were busily engaged in manufacturing ground acorns and burned wheat into a stiff paste which was then stamped into coffee beans. These were then colored with an alcoholic solution of colophony, "to give them a rich Mocha color," and packed in bags for sale.

At last accounts the new armed revolution in Hayti was progressing, "conquering and to conquer." The leaders are Generals Bassley and Barlow, and their followers are well armed with Winchester repeating rifles. The revolutionary party organized on the island of Hayti, and sailing in a small vessel, landed at and captured Mirirande, and subsequently captured other towns. There were only 103 of the original party, and their battle cry was "Down with Solomon." That is the name of the present ruler of the island, and he is said to be overbearing and unpopular, which would seem to be the fact, judging from the readiness with which the people are flocking to the standard of the revolutionists. While in Hayti a desperate struggle is believed to be at hand, the Haytian Consul at New York expresses the opinion that the revolutionary attempt will be of short duration and easily quelled.

"I see that Judge Gresham is spoken of as one-legged soldier," said an army comrade of the new Postmaster General. "He is not one-legged man, although it probably would have been better for him if he had lost his leg by amputation. He was wounded in the left leg, three or four inches below the knee, by a mine ball, which fractured the tibia, and has given to the leg a decided curve. He walks with a cane to this day, and, although sprightly on his feet, he frequently suffers intensely from the old fracture. For several years after the war he was obliged to use a crutch. I was with him when he was shot, July 20, 1861. Blair's corps, the Seventeenth, was fighting its way around Atlanta, to invest the city, fighting the enemy every foot of the way. General Gresham was in command of the Fourth Brigade, and was marching on foot with his regiment, the Fifty-third Indiana, through the woods, when a rebel bullet struck him in the leg. There was no regular engagement in progress at the time, but our forces were driving the enemy. It didn't seem to us like a pitched battle, but the list of the killed and wounded ran into the thousands."—*Washington Dispatch*.

The trial of Alfred C. Packer, the San Juan cannibal, charged with murdering five companions in the San Juan country in 1872, in progress at Lake City for the last few days, has been concluded. The evidence shows a party of six organized in Utah in 1872 to prospect Southern Colorado. While in the vicinity of the present site of Lake City, blinding storms coming on they lost their way, their food gave out, and for days together they lived on raw buds. The men became desperate, and some crazed. While his companions were in this condition Packer deliberately fell upon and butchered the whole party, and for several weeks lived on the flesh cut from their bodies. During the course of the trial, Packer made a statement calmly, and for two hours he related the experience of the party from their setting out. He closed with the most sickening details of the murder and subsequent feasting on human flesh, claiming that the killing was done in self-defense. The evidence shows that each member of the party except Packer possessed quite a large amount of money, upon which Packer has since been living. After nine years' wandering he was captured a few weeks ago near Fort Fetterman, W. T. While the evidence is entirely circumstantial, yet it is deemed conclusive, and it is confidently expected that a verdict of guilty will be rendered.

Poisonous Qualities of Metals.

As a law, metals are poisonous in proportion to the elevation of their atomic weight, or the low degree of their specific heat. This law is the result of comparatively recent and certainly most interesting investigations. Thus, in comparing cadmium and zinc, it was found that the former was much more active than the zinc, the two having the relations indicated; barium again was more poisonous than strontium, and the latter than calcium. This law has also been verified by comparison of the groups of tellurites; thus the latter, and selenites, are extremely poisonous much more so than the sulphites, which are scarcely dangerous. Finally, oxygen, which belongs to the group of sulphur, selenium and tellurium, is only poisonous when animals are exposed to the compressed gas, so that their blood is made to contain about double the normal quantity.

A Source of Profit.

From being very costly institutions, the New York prisons have become a source of profit to the state, the earnings for the year ended March 31 being \$42,464, and the expenses \$408,547, leaving net earnings of nearly \$20,000. The first surplus shown was \$50,000 in 1881, while the net earnings in 1882 were \$6,200. During the year just closed there has been an average population in the prisons of 3,000.

The Last Day.

Not the day which Gabriel shall usher in we are prepared, but the gladsome, sunshiny, happy, last day of school, which occurred at the Fern school last Friday. The "Old Reliable" John Wicks had made suitable preparations by permitting his pupils to prepare readings, recitations, dialogues, etc. The "Guide How-swives," ever thoughtful of the welfare of their children and alive to the necessity of making this last day pleasant had prepared a splendid dinner, and the steaming morsels tempted the appetites of all within the walls of the neatly decorated school room. While it may not be generally known, we have it from one who knows, that this is the best decorated school room in the county. After doing justice to the dinner and enjoying a pleasant social time, some of the boys and *would-be* boys engaged in a game of ball, others amused themselves jumping, while the girls enjoyed the swings. After the select reading and recitations Mr. F. A. Brown took the floor and indulged in a henry, old time speech, which carried much enthusiasm with it, apparently exciting the pupils, as if by magic, to surround him just as he directed his remarks to the teacher, and adroitly presented that much embarrassed person with that precious volume—the Bible. Mr. Wicks received the handsome book with a few well chosen remarks, but the sympathetic tear not only dimmed his vision, but his voice trembled with emotion. Verily his soul of joy ran over with emotion. As soon as thoughts could be collected the teacher brought forth a large basket filled with "see-saw" candy, and confronted old and young with its tempting contents, scattering the toothsome sweets. To end one of the most pleasant "last days" Peru ever experienced.

GREASY END.

Alexander H. Stephens' will is made public through the Atlanta papers. "My property," runs the will, "I think upon a fair valuation is worth \$12,000." The Liberty Hall house goes to his friend Quince O'Neal and most of the other property to his relatives. The servants are remembered, and what the testator calls "My Oglethorpe county gold-headed cane" and "My Baptist church, Atlanta, gold headed cane" go to friends.

excursion.

On hand and ready for business. The St. Louis and San Francisco railway company will can another excursion to Nebraska, Southwest Missouri, and Fredonia in Southeast Kansas, on Tuesday, April 17th, and every Tuesday thereafter during the year 1883. Round trip tickets, good for year, with stop-over privileges, are now on sale at Decatur, Ill., and at all principal stations along the Wabash railway, and at principal stations on other railroads leading to St. Louis. Go to the stations on the Wabash railway or other railroad station nearest your home and ask for round trip or one way tickets to Neosho, Mo., and to Fredonia, Kansas, via the St. Louis and San Francisco railway. This route will take you to the West, and you can get on to the St. Louis and San Francisco railway through Cuba, Rolla, Lebanon, Marshall, Springfield, Plymouth, Peoria City and Carthage, Mo., and Columbus, Osceola, Cherryville, Neosho and Fredonia in Southeast Kansas, and on to Wichita, Sedgewick and Bixby, Okla. This is the shortest line to the Indian Territory, and to the famous Eureka Springs and Fort Smith in Arkansas. The St. Louis and San Francisco railway is first class in every particular, and is the shortest line to Southwest Missouri, Southeast Kansas, Indian Territory, and to the West. The rates and rates that run via the "Frisco Line" will always be as low as the lowest. For further information and for pamphlets, circulars, &c., descriptive of the country and of the lands for sale by the company, call on the railroad ticket agent nearest your home, or apply in person or by letter to Geo. Lower, Agent "Frisco Line," two doors west of Postoffice, Decatur, Ill. 142d

The Mysterious Drowning.

DUBUQUE, Io., April 17.—The mysterious drowning of Mrs. Zelzepf and child is still a mystery, and the Court's inquest will be held to-morrow on the subject. Mrs. Zelzepf was said to be a very nervous lady, and had fits of despondency. This fact, coupled with the fact that she was a widow, and had a child to care for, a 3-year-old child, to reach leads many to believe it a case of suicide. The general opinion, however, is that the deaths were not suicide, but rather the result of a struggle between the mother and her son. The mother, who was a prominent citizen of the suburb across the Kaw. In addition to the child he had one of his own, the same family, are dying dead at the same time. Only one member is left, the father, who is crazed with mangy fever and grief, and often to be seen walking the car passed over him, cutting off one foot, mashing the skull in a horrid manner and breaking his ribs.

Spasmodic Cough.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 17.—Since his Friday arrival, Mr. Ed H. Sawyer, a well known journalist and city editor of Wyandotte, Mo., has been missing. On Saturday morning he was seen in the office of Prof. C. C. Moore, who was engaged to speak at the afternoon session. Miss Griffith noticed young Sawyer leaning out of a window and requested him to make up his mind to speak. He did so, and then returned to get the dark out of his hair after the lecture. Donnelly dropped dead at the door, with three gaping wounds, one of which penetrated the heart, and alone being sufficient to cause death.

A Desperate Assault Upon a Young Lady.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 17.—Miss Clara Griffith, a school teacher, of Martin's Ferry, was probably fatally beaten yesterday afternoon by a 13-year-old scholar.

According to reports, the boy, who was

employed to clean the schoolroom, was

assaulted by the girl, who was

desperately ill.

He was taken to the hospital, and

is now in a critical condition.

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WE WILL OFFER

During April and the balance of March

**100 PAIRS
FINE GOLD**

EYE GLASSES

—AT—

\$4 per Pair, Worth \$6.

**100 PAIRS
FINE GOLD**

SPECTACLES!

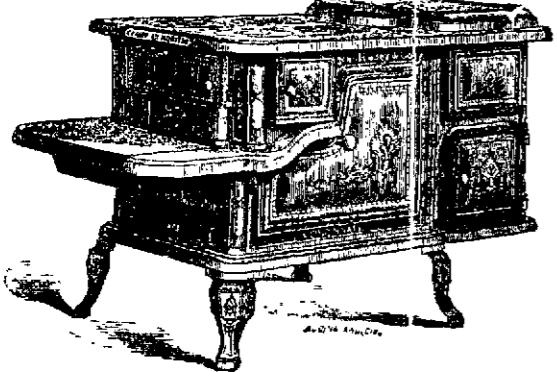
FROM \$4.00 UP.

Our Gold Spectacles and Eye Glasses are all fitted with the Celebrated "Diamond" Lenses, and are the best goods in the market.

**O. E. CURTIS & CO.,
LEADING JEWELERS.**

March 23, 1883—d&wtf

**W. L. FERGUSON.
B. W. DILLEHUNT.
NEW STORE--NEW FIRM!**



Ferguson & Dillehunt

Having taken the room lately occupied by the Decatur National Bank, NO. 13 WATER STREET, and having remodeled and refitted the same, have opened a Full Stock of

HARDWARE!

TINWARE, CUTLERY, CARPENTERS' TOOLS, &c.

Also a full line of STOVES, including the unexcelled

Champion and Champion Monitor Cook Stoves

For which we are the Solo Agents in Decatur.

ROOFING AND SPOUTING DONE TO ORDER.

We especially ask a share of public patronage.

FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT.

**THE BIG SHOE STORE,
13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.**

Headquarters for **LILLY, BRACKETT & CO.** and **BURT & MEAR'S** Celebrated SHOES. Full line always in stock. They are the dandy styles, and the finest to be had.

L. L. FERRISS & CO. **DECATUR, ILLINOIS.**

July 11, 1883—d&wtf

P. PERL, J. B. BULLARD,


EMBALMER AND FUNERAL DIRECTOR

MRS. C. H. SMILEY, FASHIONABLE DRESS MAKER

Large of Kansas City, has located here, and is prepared to do all kinds of plain and Fashionable DRESS-MAKING. All work first-class and guaranteed.

Making Over Suits a Specialty
Residence—Northeast corner East Prairie and Jackson streets, Decatur, Illinois.
Geo 8-072

Stand Southwest cor. of Old Square, DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

March 2, 1883—d&wtf

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TERMS.
Per week, payable to Carrier, 15cts.
One year, in advance, \$7.00
Six Months, " 3.50
Three Months, " 1.75

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 17, 1883.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Walk in and see the Novelty Baby Carriages at

E. D. BARTHOLOMEE & CO.'S.
My residence, corner of North Main and King streets, is for sale. Possession could be given in 60 days from date of sale.
WM. J. QUINLAN.

March 1-d&w

"Who's elected?"

"Rooms for Rent" to-morrow evening. There are about 300 Masons in Decatur.

W. C. T. U. gospel meeting at the room to-night.

The orchestra last night at the opera house was beautifully applauded.

For Conformation Suits go to John Irwin's, near postoffice. 16-d&w

The new addition to the Wabash telegraph office gives the boys more elbow room. They needed it badly.

Another invoice of Wilson Bros. Penning Shirts just received at John Irwin's White Front, P. O. block. Apr. 13-d&w

SMOKE only Schroeder's Bohemian cigars, sold at a nickel each by all leading dealers in the city.

The Decatur Masons will hold their first meeting in the new temple to-morrow evening.

The excavation has been made for the new brick warehouse for the use of the Decatur Furniture company.

The knowing ones say it is up and tuck between Bartholomew and Alexander in the second ward.

EVERYBODY should know that Ferguson & Dillehunt's hardware store is at No. 13 North Water street. 5dtf

The four-ply contest for alderman in the fourth ward to-day has been lively. The leading candidates are Diehl and Schlaudeman.

You will find dark suits for boys at extremely low prices at John Irwin's, near postoffice. Apr. 16-d&w

MANAGER HAINES promises to give us a "Phantom" performances by the C. C. company before the supplementary season closes.

The P. D. & E. paymaster visited Decatur yesterday in a special car, and made the employees happy by a liberal distribution of cash.

Don't forget that Ferguson & Dillehunt will store stores, No. 13 North Water street. 5dtf

The cigar makers of this city presented a petition to their employers, asking for an increase of \$1 per thousand, to commence on the first of May. The request was granted without any hesitation.

April 16-d&w

The messenger boy connected with the Western Union telegraph office will soon appear in handsome blue uniform. Manager Ewald has been instructed by the Division Superintendent to have the messengers togged out in the manner described.

FANCY driving harness a specialty at J. W. Tyler's shop, south side of city park.

JUST received at John Irwin's White Front a large line of genuine imported French Lisle and Balbriggan Underwear. April 13 dtf

The total number of seats sold for the dramatic festival of Cincinnati amounts to 2,350, and the money realized is \$64,623.00. The average premium paid was \$13.35.

The popular "Blower" hand made, clear Havana filler, fine cut cigar, made by Keen & Weigle, El Dorado street, who also manufacture the famous "10-cent" and "Keystone" cigars. 20th-21st

The advance of \$1 on the 1000 for making Decatur cigars will not increase the price or effect the quality of home-made smokers. Local manufacturers pride themselves on the quality of their cigars.

PATRONIZE Niedermeyer on the mound for reliable groceries.

CANON on the Veterans' lot in Green wood Cemetery needs painting to improve the appearance of the ordinance and to preserve the wood.

Mrs. MELISSA DAMON, 165 W. Indians avenue, Chicago, Ill., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters has proved itself to be the best tonic I ever used." 13

WINDOW GLASS of all sizes at Ferguson & Dillehunt's, No. 13 Water street. April 13 dtf

Mr. Oliver Coal Co.'s coal makes no clinkers; burns up clean. To be had only at Venerable's Coal Yard. Mar. 15dtf

New resolved Decatur yesterday from Danville, Ark., of the death of E. C. Clark, who formerly resided in Decatur in the second ward near the mound. The deceased was the father of Ben and Emily Clark, both of whom were well-known in this city.

Don't smoke any but Schroeder's popular Bohemian nickel cigars, and you will be somewhat surprised to receive a letter from this part of the world, especially from a person you do not know. Through the kindness of one of your patrons I have been reading your paper and am very much pleased with it. Barkey is not much of a place—only a postoffice. It is 13 miles north of Beatrice, the county seat of Gage county. It is the "boss" city in southeastern Nebraska. It has over 4,000 inhabitants, three railroads and a fair prospect for two more; has five elevators, six hotels, dry goods and grocery houses in proportion, one opera hall, quite a number of churches, and one of the finest flouring mills in the state run by water power. Gage county is well watered. There are ponds in the "Draws" from two to five feet deep at high water the entire season. Gage county is filling up with emigrants from all parts of the east. Most of the people in this vicinity are from Illinois, your humble servant included. I like this part of the state well. It is some broken, but not too much to drain well. Farmers are about done sowing oats, while a great many are plowing up land. The fine soil we could ask for. As to the roads they are excellent—the kindest I ever saw for this time of the year. If you think this letter will not take too much room in the columns of your valuable paper, I would like for you to publish it. As this is my first, your readers will probably excuse mistakes.

Attention, CO. K. RAILROAD.

Every member is requested to be present at the tabernacle to-night for drill and make preparations for inspection and muster, Friday, April 20th.

J. N. BAKER, Captain.

W. J. McCLELLAND, O. S.

Before buying a Conformation Suit, call and see John Irwin, near postoffice. Apr. 16-d&w

Look Here.

There will be an excursion to California via the P. & E., C. B. & Q., and the Union and Central Pacific railroads, which will leave Peoria by special train at 4:00 p.m., May 15, 1883, for San Francisco.

For rates and particulars apply to Agent P. D. & E. R. R., Decatur, or L. A. Howey, at P. D. & E. R. R. office, Decatur, Illinois.

April 24-d&w

FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT will store stoves for the season, at No. 13 North Water street. inch 5-ft

THE CITY ELECTION.

Number of Votes Cast up to 2:30 O'clock—A Quiet but Earnest Contest.

The annual election in Decatur for city officers is in progress in each of the five wards to-day, and as the weather is pleasant, good-sized crowds are congregated about the different voting places.

THE VOTE AT 2:30.

Below we give the number of votes cast in each ward up to 2:30 o'clock this afternoon:

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